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## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

### **Change to Holiday Break Start Date**

The administration has decided to close the university one day early for holiday break.

This year we will close the University at the end of the regular work shift, **Thursday, December 22**. We will re-open for business on Tuesday, January 3, 2017.

Monday, December 26 and Monday, January 2 are designated as state holidays. Employees will take 5 days of leave time to cover December 23, 27, 28, 29, 30.

Hours earned for working on Veteran's Day must be used during the traditional phase down of campus operations between the Christmas and New Year's holiday.

The last day to use the 2016 discretionary day is December 30, 2016. The Governor has again authorized a discretionary day for calendar year 2017. The 2017 discretionary day will be credited to employees on January 1, 2017.

*-Karen Allen, Executive Assistant to the President*

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### **IMPORTANT: Christmas Break Deposit Deadline Reminder**

This is a notification that deposits will need to be brought to our office (Picken Hall 317) by **12:00 NOON on Tuesday, December 20, 2016** in order to be processed before the Christmas break. Deposits prepared after this deadline should still be brought to our office for safekeeping.

Deposit processing may be delayed during the Spring 2017 enrollment period in early January.

If you have any questions, feel free to contact Student Fiscal Services.

We hope you have a wonderful break and a very Merry Christmas.

*-Student Fiscal Services, (785) 628-5251*

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## Tiger Wellness Center Winter Break Hours

December 19 – January 17

Monday-Friday: 6:30am to 7:00pm

Saturday & Sunday: 10:00am to 5:00pm

CLOSED- December 24, 25, **26** & 31 and January 1, **2** & 16.

*-Emily Washburn, Assistant Director of Tiger Wellness Center*

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## Looking for the Perfect Tiger Gift

With the holidays just around the corner, you'll want to get a head start on your shopping! Not sure what to get your favorite Tiger? We're here to help. Check out our Tiger Gift Shop, which offers a variety of products that will suit alumni, students, and friends of the university. From clothing to jewelry and watches to house decor, there's something for everyone this holiday season!

View these items and more online at <http://ow.ly/moxp306czxO> or calling the Alumni Office toll-free 1-888-351-3591.

*-Karl Pratt, Communications Program Coordinator*

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## Calling for 2017 Alumni Awards Nominations

Each year, the Fort Hays State University Alumni Association presents accomplished alumni, friends, students and faculty with awards in honor of their achievements and/or service. At Homecoming, four categories of awards are given: Alumni Achievement, Distinguished Service, Nita M. Landrum, and the Young Alumni.

The **Alumni Achievement Award**, established in 1959, honors graduates of the university for outstanding achievement based upon meritorious service to society or the community. The award is based upon career and professional achievements, service involving community betterment and philanthropic activities, and educational achievements. It is the university's highest recognition of its graduates.

The **Distinguished Service Award**, established in 1974, recognizes individuals who have demonstrated a continuing concern for humanity on a universal, national, state or community level; who support spiritual, cultural and educational objectives; and who endorse and exemplify the highest standards of character and personal attributes. It is reserved for alumni or friends of the university.

The **Nita M. Landrum Award**, established in 1994, recognizes alumni or friends who have provided sustained volunteer service for the betterment of the Alumni Association and/or FHSU, especially in their home communities or at any local level.

The **Young Alumni Award**, established in 1977, is designed to recognize those early in their careers who have had outstanding achievements and recent accomplishments. The award is based upon professional and educational achievements, community activities, honors and awards received and other noteworthy items of merit since graduation. Candidates must hold a bachelor's degree from FHSU, be members of the 10-15 reunion classes, and be under age 40 as of Jan. 1 of the year the awards are presented.

To make a nomination for 2017, complete the [online form](#) by **Saturday, Dec. 31, 2016**.

Questions, contact the Alumni Office at x4430 or [alumni@fhsu.edu](mailto:alumni@fhsu.edu).

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